

data on benign brain-related tumors through the national program of cancer registries.

S. 2810. An act to amend the Communications Satellite Act of 1962 to extend the deadline for the INTELSAT initial public offering.

S. Con. Res. 137. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service should exert its best efforts to cause the Major League Baseball Players Association and the owners of the teams of Major League Baseball to enter into a contract to continue to play professional baseball games without engaging in a strike, a lockout, or any conduct that interferes with the playing of scheduled professional baseball games.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, August 2, 2002.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,
The Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on August 2, 2002 at 11:05 a.m.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 223.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 309.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 601.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 1384.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 1456.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 1576.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 2068.

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That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 2441.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 2643.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 3343.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 3380.

Appointments: President's Export Council.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

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tives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on August 2, 2002 at 9:34 a.m.

That the Senate agreed to conference report H.R. 3009.

Appointments: National Skill Standards Board and Global Climate Change Observer Group.

With best wishes, I am

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ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 4 of rule I, Speaker pro tempore WOLF signed the following enrolled bill on Friday, August 2, 2002:

H.R. 3009, to extend the Andean Trade Preference Act, to grant additional trade benefits under that Act, and for other purposes, and the following enrolled bills on Wednesday, August 7, 2002:

H.R. 223, to amend the Clear Creek County, Colorado, Public Lands Transfer Act of 1993 to provide additional time for Clear Creek County to dispose of certain lands transferred to the county under the Act;

H.R. 309, to provide for the determination of withholding tax rates under the Guam income tax;

H.R. 601, to redesignate certain lands within the Craters of the Moon National Monument, and for other purposes;

H.R. 1384, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the route in Arizona and New Mexico which the Navajo and Mescalero Apache Indian tribes were forced to walk in 1863 and 1864, for study for potential addition to the national trails system;

H.R. 1456, to expand the boundary of the Booker T. Washington National Monument, and for other purposes;

H.R. 1576, to designate the James Peak Wilderness and Protection Area in the Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests in the State of Colorado, and for other purposes;

H.R. 2068, to revise, codify, and enact without substantive change certain general and permanent laws, related to public buildings, property, and works, as Title 40, United States Code, "Public buildings, property, and works";

H.R. 2234, to revise the boundary of the Tumacacori National Historical Park in the State of Arizona;

H.R. 2440, to rename Wolf Trap Farm Park as "Wolf Trap National Park for the Performing Arts," and for other purposes;

H.R. 2441, to amend the Public Health Service Act to redesignate a facility as the National Hansen's Disease Programs Center, and for other purposes;

H.R. 2643, to authorize the acquisition of additional lands for inclusion in the Fort Clatsop National Memorial in the State of Oregon, and for other purposes;

H.R. 3343, to amend Title X of the Energy Policy Act of 1992, and for other purposes;

H.R. 3380, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to issue right-of-way permits for natural gas pipelines with the boundary of Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

RESOLUTION CELEBRATING HEROISM AND BRAVERY

(Mr. GIBBONS asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. GIBBONS. Mr. Speaker, just some basic facts. Each and every year every American uses 47,000 pounds of mined materials. Of that, 7,600 pounds are coal; and coal generates more than half of our domestic electricity, providing millions of Americans with energy that they need.

Mr. Speaker, it is the miner who we should thank for providing us with the quality of life that we enjoy, and we should remember that their work often comes at great personal risk.

In fact, on July 27, nine coal miners were trapped 240 feet below the Earth's surface for 77 hours in absolute darkness and chest deep in 55-degree water. This event revealed what is great about America, because hundreds of individuals courageously worked to rescue these nine men and return them safely to their families. Thankfully, we all witnessed a miracle as each miner was brought to the surface healthy and safe.

To express our sincere gratitude to these nine miners and their rescue crews, I am entering a concurrent resolution honoring these individuals.

Mr. Speaker, I ask that all of my colleagues join me in supporting this resolution which celebrates heroism and bravery.

WAR SHOULD NOT BE FIRST INSTRUMENT OF FOREIGN POLICY

(Mr. DOGGETT asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. DOGGETT. Mr. Speaker, overshadowing all of our hopes and dreams for our families and for our country is the daily talk of war. This Administration's apparent intent to launch a go-it-alone invasion of another country is unprecedented in American history, it is unprecedented in ignoring the warnings of military experts, it is unprecedented in rejecting the advice of our allies and, most importantly, unprecedented in the dangers posed for the safety of American families everywhere.

At one time "regime change" was the now-abandoned goal of our foreign policy toward an island 90 miles off our shores. Immediate success is even less certain for a regime on the other side of the world through a means uniformly rejected at present by the countries of the region. Of course, Saddam Hussein is a menace, as was Libya's Muammar Qaddafi, as was Josef Stalin. But able policymakers of both parties